

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

1. Please amend the paragraph beginning on line 1, page 1 as follows:

Cross-Reference to Other Applications

This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/189,305 filed by Shilin Chen on July 2, 2002, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/629,344 filed by Shilin Chen on August 1, 2000, now U.S. Patent No. 6,412,577, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/387,304 filed by Shilin Chen on August 31, 1999, now U.S. Patent No. 6,095,262, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. ~~60/098,422~~ 60/098,442 filed on August 31, 1998, which is hereby incorporated by reference.